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AMENDMENT UNDER 37 CFR 1.116  
EXPEDITED EXAMINATION  
EXAMINING GROUP 2626  
Docket No.: 1901.1345

**IN THE UNITED STATES PATENT AND TRADEMARK OFFICE**

In re the Application of:

Jung-hoe KIM et al.

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For: METHOD AND APPARATUS FOR ENCODING/DECODING AUDIO DATA WITH  
SCALABILITY

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Sir:

This is in response to the Office Action mailed November 22, 2010, and having a period for response set to expire on February 22, 2011. A petition for a three month extension of time is filed concurrently herewith, thereby extending the response due date to May 23, 2011.

A Notice of Appeal is being filed subsequent to the filing of this Amendment, providing the Examiner additional time to enter this Amendment and issue a Notice of Allowance, as all rejected claims have been cancelled.

Reconsideration of the claims is respectfully requested. The following amendments and remarks are respectfully submitted.